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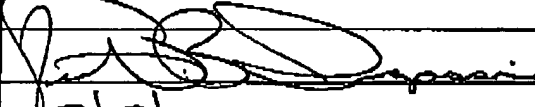
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	First Named Inventor	Tezer Battal	
	Art Unit	3723	
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1203	290	2203	145	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	
1204	86	2204	43	**Reissue independent claims over original patent	
1205	18	2205	9	**Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	

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1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for ex parte reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	
1252	420	2252	215	Extension for reply within second month	
1253	950	2253	475	Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1,480	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	2,010	2255	1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	330	2401	185	Notice of Appeal	
1402	330	2402	185	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	290	2403	145	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1,330	2453	665	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501	1,330	2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502	480	2502	240	Design issue fee	
1503	640	2503	320	Plant issue fee	
1480	130	1480	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17(a)	
1808	180	1808	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809	770	2809	385	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
1810	770	2810	385	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
1801	770	2801	385	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	
Other fee (specify) 1454 Acceptance of an unintentionally delayed claim for priority					1,330.00
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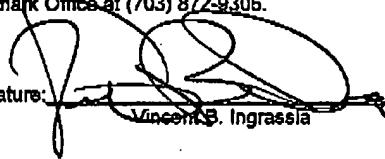
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**PETITION TO ACCEPT AN UNINTENTIONALLY DELAYED PRIORITY CLAIM
UNDER 35 U.S.C. 119(e) FOR THE BENEFIT OF A PRIOR FILED PROVISIONAL
APPLICATION**

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Sir:

Applicants hereby petition the Commissioner to accept the unintentionally delayed priority claim under 35 U.S.C. 119(e) for the benefit of a prior filed provisional application. The priority claim is set forth in the attached Preliminary Amendment.

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Applicants further state that the entire delay between the date the claim was due under 37 C.F.R. §1.78(a)(5) and the date the claim is being filed was unintentional.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the surcharge as set forth in 37 C.F.R. §117(t) to our Deposit Account No. 50-2091.

If for some reason Applicants have not requested a sufficient extension and/or have not paid a sufficient fee for this Petition and/or for the extension necessary to prevent abandonment on this application, please consider this as a request for an extension for the required time period and/or authorization to charge Deposit Account No. 50-2091 for any fee which may be due.

Respectfully submitted,

INGRASSIA FISHER & LORENZ

Dated: March 2, 2004

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